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CIRCUIT COURT NOTES.

Several Interesting Matters Considered at Yesterday's Sitting.

In Part II of the circuit court, Judge Paul on the bench, the jury in the case of P. Bachman & Son's vs. the Union News Co. returned a verdict for the plaintiff.

In the case of P. Bachman & Son's vs. the Wheeling Bakery Co. time was given to file special pleas until December 17.

The case of Inglebright vs. W. P. Robinson, growing out of the purchase of the nupha yacht Surprise, was put on trial to a jury.

In Part I, Judge Campbell, the certiorari proceedings in the case of the city vs. Grace Martin came up. The woman was fined in the police court, and made application to have her fine raised so as to permit an appeal under the law. This the mayor refused to do, and she prays for a writ to do it. The city demurred and the demurrer was argued.

To-day the case of Oakkosh Claret vs. John Monas, a bastardy suit between Hungarians, will be heard in Part II.

A PECULIAR TROUBLE

"Douses" the Glim! An Electric Light Circle Five.

The darkness of the electric lights on the South Side for a time Tuesday night was due to a peculiar cause. The rain formed a stream of water which, running from one wire to the other, made a short circuit, the water acting as a conductor. The board in the hood of one lamp was burned out, cutting off the whole circuit. The circuit was closed so as to leave the one damaged lamp out of it, and the lights again turned on, being off in all only about two hours, but as it was from 8 to 10 p. m., the accident caused a great deal of inconvenience, which was increased by the stygian darkness and the torn up and muddy condition of the streets.

Dr. Riker and "Hamlet."

In an article signed by Leander Richardson and printed in the New York Dramatic News, the following sarcastic allusion occurs:

I observe that a clergyman in Wheeling, named Riker, has been pitching into the stage and saying some things that attract attention by reason of their novelty. For instance, he states that he would like to hear Mr. Booth read Hamlet, but that he would not go to the theatre to see the piece played "on account of some of the immoral scenes." I can readily imagine how a pure and sensitive soul would recoil from witnessing in a theatre a picture of revelry, debauchery and unseemly levity in general which characterize Hamlet. Indeed, nothing more shocking than this dreadfully low-toned play has been seen since the days when Mr. Barrett used to present his scriptural marionettes upon the stage of his old museum and theatre at Ann street and Broadway. A great thing has been accomplished in the promotion of public morality when a preacher like Mr. Riker expresses his determination to shield himself from the contamination of Hamlet.

Reduction of Steel Wages.

There is a probability of an adjustment of wages in the Riverside steel plant in Benwood, on the plan that prevails at Bellaire, notice of a reduction from 8 to 15 per cent having been given to take effect after the first of the year. Many mill workers voted the Democratic ticket last month because there had been reductions in wages, and to begin the new year with a reduction will only be the beginning of still greater dissatisfaction.

"The Colonel" This Evening.

At the Opera House this evening Oscar Sisson's comedy, "The Colonel," will be given for the first time in Wheeling. Mr. Sisson has always been a favorite in Wheeling. His leading lady is Josephine Florence Shephard, a daughter of the late Mr. W. J. Florence, the famous comedian, and his company is composed of good people throughout. There is some good singing incidental to the play.

The "Helping Hand."

The "Helping Hand Society" will give a bazaar and festival in room G, McLain's block, entrance on Market street, to-morrow, Friday evening, at 7 o'clock. The society is non-sectarian, and is engaged in doing good to those in need, and they deserve the patronage of all liberal givers.

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It would seem that the work is only commencing. Yesterday Mr. John G. Zeller, superintendent of construction for the United States Baking Company, came to the city to confer with Mr. Howard Brenneisen in regard to the equipment of the plant for baking purposes. Arrangements were immediately made for the construction of four ovens of immense size: one double flat oven, two Peterson ovens and one Reel oven. These ovens will weigh about 100 tons each, and require 200,000 bricks in building. Work will commence to-day. Boilers, engines, elevators, bough mixers, bough brakes, cracker machines, bread machines, a bread separating machine, a roll separating machine, cooling racks, a great variety of cutters and a great number of other articles indispensable to a modern bakery will be put in. The company expects to have all inside work completed in ninety days, and start the plant in all departments early in the spring.

Keep Your Eye on Day and Date.

If you value money cut this out, place it in your pocket and wait for the opening of the great sheriff sale by the Chicago Bankrupt Clothing Company of Chicago, which commences next Saturday, December 17. At 9 a. m. promptly the doors will be open in the large building, 1126 Main street, next door to G. Mendel & Co.'s furniture store, which has been rented at an enormous expense. The entire building has been closed for a week to arrange, and will remain closed until Saturday, December 17. Not a dollar's worth of goods is to be sold until that time, when this large stock will be here and ready for sale. \$35,000 worth of fine Men's and Boys' Clothing, which is the production of the largest and best eastern manufacturers, and which was sold at sheriff sale at Mansfield, Ohio, by the sheriff of Richland county, O., to satisfy the claims and judgments of eastern creditors, \$12,825 is the amount the sheriff realized from Shonfield & Friedrich, of Mansfield, Ohio, for the stock, about 40c on the dollar, and the goods will be offered here for fifteen days only at the murderous price of 47c on the dollar. We have made up our minds that this immense stock shall be turned to cash, and go it must, from day to day, at next to nothing prices, a chance of a life time. You must firmly bear in mind this is a bona fide sale and the goods must be sold in fifteen days. Read a few prices, then call and be convinced, that each and every article specified below will be produced at this great sale. Here they go. Keep your eyes open and follow closely:

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DIED.

FOOSE—On Tuesday, December 13, 1892, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., HARRY W., oldest child of John and Minnie Foose, in his 5th year. Funeral from the residence of parents, No. 2915 Woods street, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family invited to attend. Interment at Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

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